

TOWN PARK & BOARDWALK

The Duck Town Park features 11 acres of natural beauty including trails through the maritime forest and willow swamp, open green space, soundside views and access to the Duck Boardwalk. Park amenities include an amphitheater, public kayak/canoe launch, playground, dog-friendly water fountain, picnic shelter and Town Green.

The Duck Boardwalk can be accessed from the park and other locations throughout the commercial Village. Please see the map below for details. The Duck Boardwalk extends nearly a mile along the Currituck Sound. Enjoy beautiful views, a variety of wildlife, visit our unique retail establishments and restaurants, or just enjoy the serenity.

Please enjoy the town park and boardwalk responsibly.

PARK & BOARDWALK OPERATING HOURS:

PARK: dawn until dusk.

BOARDWALK: dawn until 1:00 a.m.

BOARDWALK AND PARK RULES:

- Bicycles must be walked or left at bicycle racks.
 - Skateboards, roller blades, and motorized vehicles are prohibited.
 - Pets must be on a leash. Owners must clean up after their pet; special receptacles are located in the park and on the boardwalk.
 - Smoking is not permitted on the boardwalk, in the park or at any town facilities.
 - Fish and crab in designated areas only. A North Carolina fishing license is required.
 - Swimming, wading, diving or otherwise entering the Currituck Sound from the shoreline, boardwalk, or boat pier that is not related to the launching, docking, or rescuing of authorized watercraft, is prohibited.
 - Watercraft may be tied to the public boat slips for short-period use, not to exceed four hours. The public boat slips are located at the north and south ends of the boardwalk.
 - The launch area in the park should only be used for canoes, kayaks, and stand up paddle boards.
 - Hunting, chasing, feeding or otherwise harassing wildlife in the park and along the boardwalk is prohibited.
 - Open fires and the use of grills or other cooking devices is prohibited.
 - Footwear is required.
 - Boardwalk system is designed for passive use and cannot be reserved. Town-sponsored events take precedence over all other uses.
 - Town park and boardwalk areas may not be reserved for weddings.
- For a complete list of rules, visit townofduck.com.**

TOWN OF DUCK

1200 Duck Road
P.O. Box 8369
Duck, NC 27949

Office Hours: 9:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Monday - Friday

Town Hall: 252.255.1234

Events & Info: 252.255.1286

Police Department: 252.261.1112

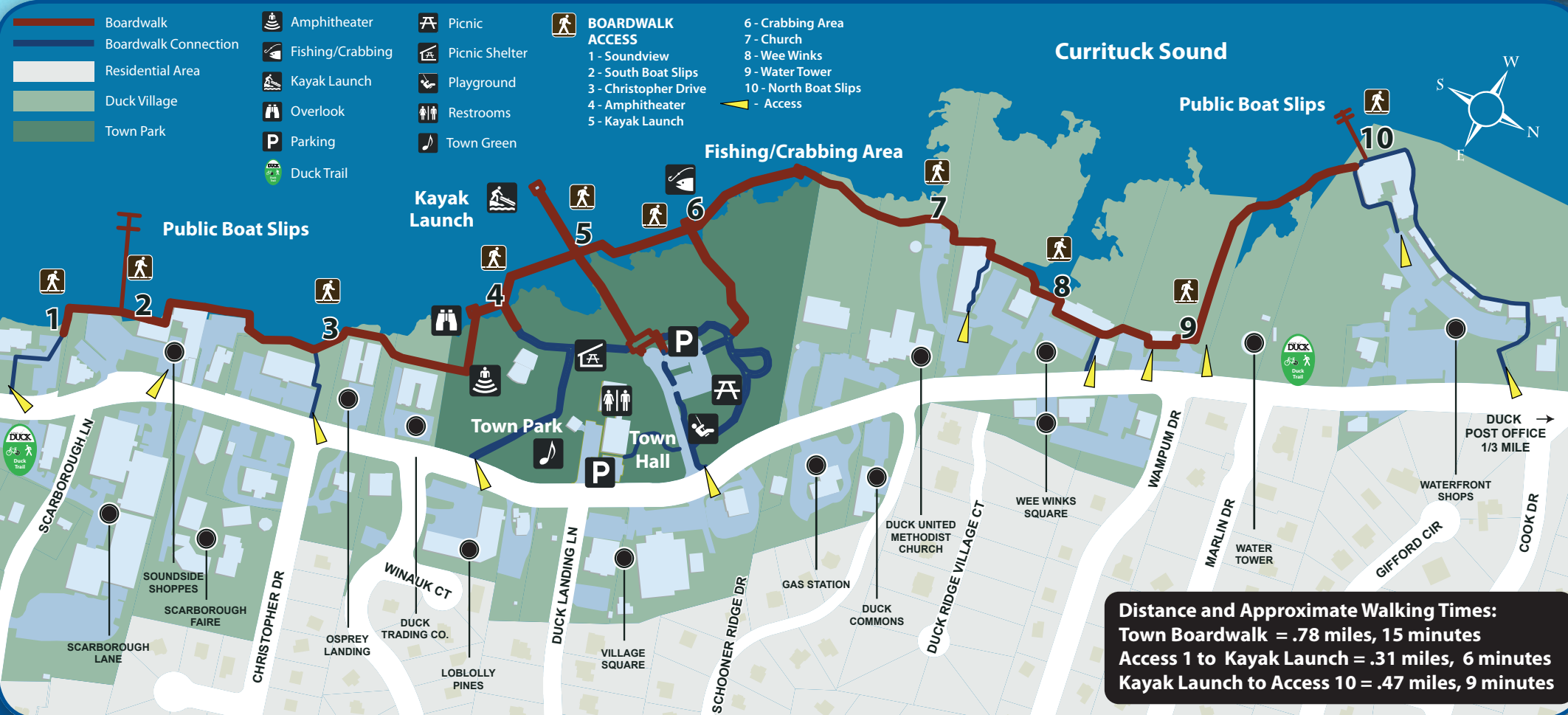
Fire Department: 252.261.3929

24-Hour Dare Central Dispatch (Non-Emergency):
252.473.3444

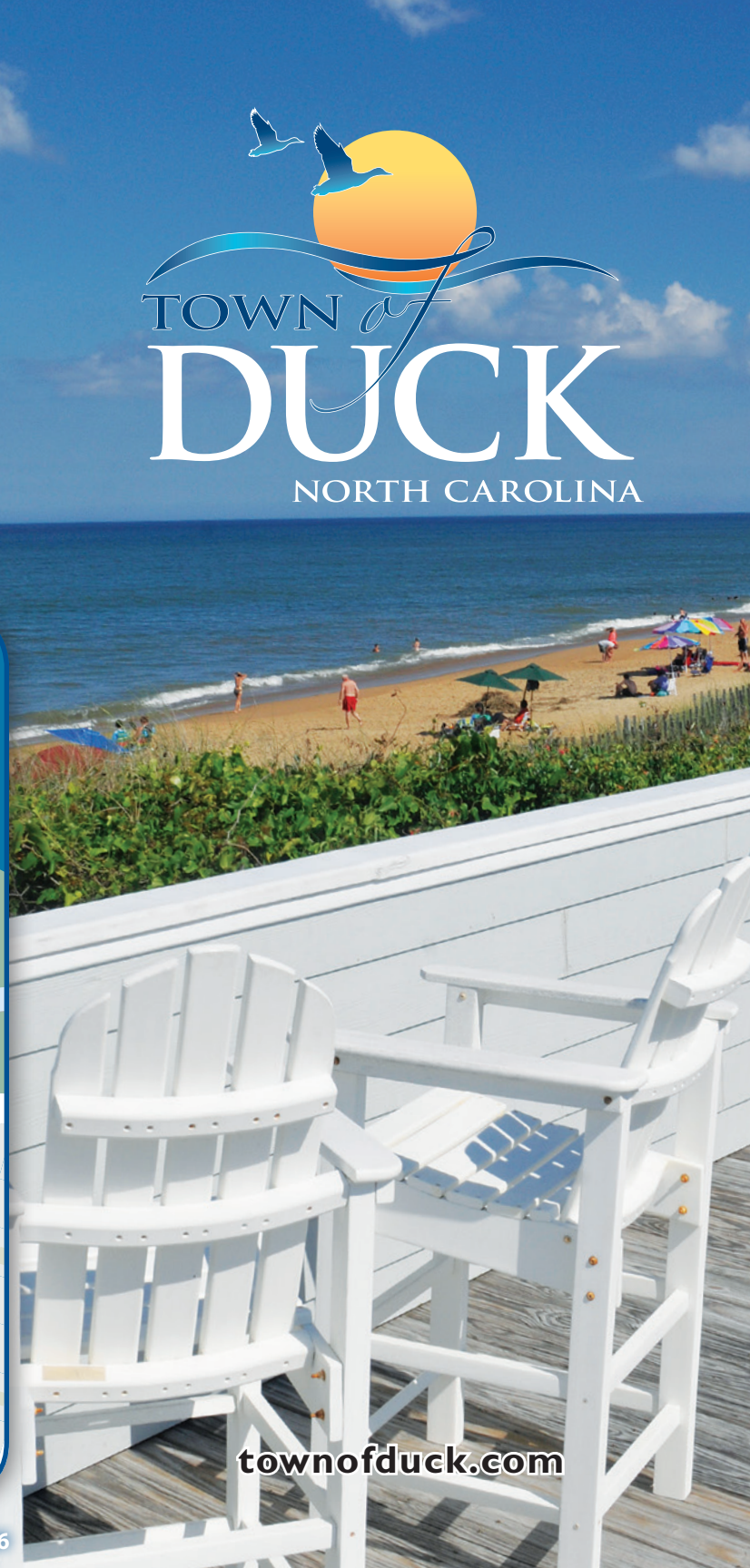
Emergencies: Dial 911

info@townofduck.com

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Distance and Approximate Walking Times:
 Town Boardwalk = .78 miles, 15 minutes
 Access 1 to Kayak Launch = .31 miles, 6 minutes
 Kayak Launch to Access 10 = .47 miles, 9 minutes



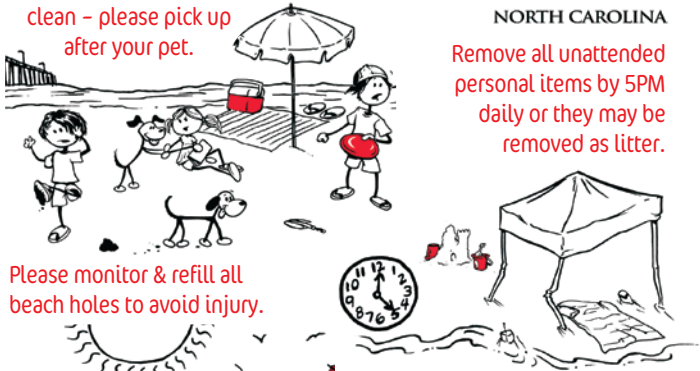
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Beach Rules

Pets welcome under the control and watchful eye of owner. Keep beaches clean – please pick up after your pet.



Remove all unattended personal items by 5PM daily or they may be removed as litter.



Please monitor & refill all beach holes to avoid injury.



Swim near a lifeguard! Lifeguards are available for: beach safety tips, rip current info., reports of stranded sea life, turtle nests, shipwrecks, or rule violations.

Stay out of the water when red flag is flying.

- Keep at least 15' between beach dune and tents for emergency access.
- Maintain a 15' perimeter around lifeguard stands for rescue vehicle access.
- Do not tie tents together and keep 10' minimum between tents.
- Fireworks and bonfires are not permitted.
- Use walkways and designated beach accesses.
- DUNES ARE FRAGILE! Do not walk, climb, dig, slide, jump or rappel off dunes.
- Vehicles are not permitted on our beach between May 1 and September 30. There is no public vehicular access. Vehicles of residents and renters are permitted off-season using designated private vehicular access points.
- Lifeguards are on duty from 10:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. between May 1 to October 31.

RESPECT THE OCEAN: IF CONDITIONS EXCEED YOUR CAPABILITIES, STAY OUT OF THE WATER!



THROUGHOUT TOWN

Fire Safety & Fireworks: Beach fires, fireworks, and bonfires are not permitted. Grilling on decks or near vegetation is discouraged. Grills can easily catch fire when used on or near wooden decks or when not shut down properly. Make sure that all charcoal ashes are cool before disposal.



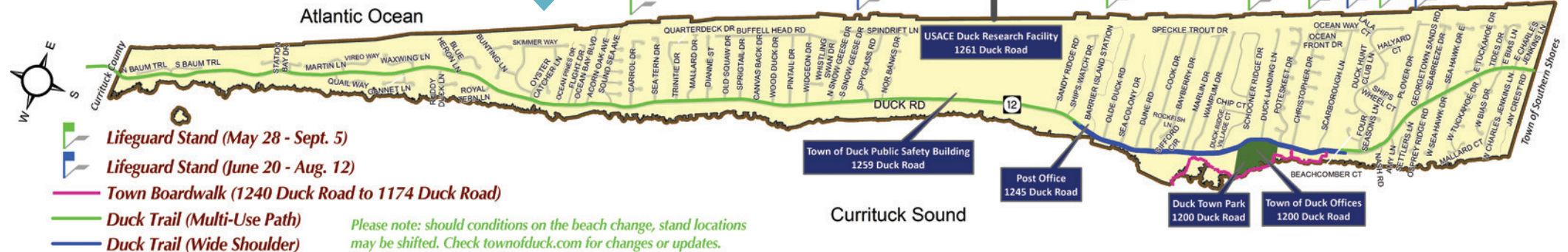
Fireworks and bonfires are **NOT** permitted.

While the sale of legal fireworks in Duck is permitted, the use of any fireworks (including sparklers) is prohibited and punishable by a \$250 fine and requires a mandatory court appearance.

Hurricane Preparedness: The Atlantic Hurricane Season is from June 1 to November 30. Be prepared: know the evacuation route; ensure your vehicle is fueled; if you're a visitor, take all of your belongings as there is no way to predict when re-entry will be allowed. Check the town's website and social media page as well as other local media for weather and evacuation information. For more emergency preparedness tips visit townofduck.com.

Ocean/Sound Access: There are no public beach access points or soundside beaches in Duck. Public sound access is in the Town Park for launching kayaks and canoes, and at the day-use boat piers located at the north and south ends of the boardwalk.

Personal Watercraft: Landing and launching is prohibited on the town's ocean beach, but watercraft may be used in the sound between 9:00 a.m. and 6:00 p.m., and must be at least 900 feet from the shore. **There are no public motorized boat ramps in Duck.**



DUCK TRAIL USAGE AND SAFETY

The Duck Trail is a six-mile long, multi-use path that traverses the entire length of town. The trail is primarily located on the east side of Duck Road (NC 12). Through the commercial Village of Duck, located between Four Seasons Lane and the Duck Post Office, the trail continues on both sides of Duck Road (NC 12) as part of the wide shoulder. For safety, pedestrians are urged to use crosswalks. The Duck Boardwalk, which has access points throughout the Village, is another safe and scenic walking route.

Pedestrians, bicyclists, and in-line skaters share the Duck Trail. Motorized vehicles such as golf carts, mopeds and Segways are prohibited on the trail.

PLEASE OBSERVE THE FOLLOWING SAFETY GUIDELINES AT ALL TIMES:

While Using the Trail:

- Use marked crosswalks.
- Pedestrians always have the right-of-way, but stay alert for vehicles.
- Watch for cars entering and exiting from Duck Road (NC 12), side streets, and parking areas.
- Markers for each half-mile are located on the trail.
- Pedestrians should slow down when being passed.
- Cyclists should always pass on the left and alert those who are being passed.
- Clean up after your pet as a courtesy to trail users.
- Dogs must be on a leash.
- Follow all posted rules.



While Using the Trail in the Village:

In addition to guidelines above, for your safety:

- Pedestrians should walk/run facing oncoming traffic.
- Cyclists should ride with traffic.
- Wear bright clothing and use lights at night.

Golf Carts: Golf carts are never allowed on public roads including Duck Road (NC 12). Golf carts are prohibited on the Duck Trail and the soundside Duck Boardwalk.

Traffic & Personal Safety: Obey all posted speed limits, and use extreme caution as Duck has heavy pedestrian and bicycle traffic along Duck Trail and Duck Road (NC 12). Use caution when turning onto side streets. Remember: don't drink and drive; remove personal items from vehicles; and lock vehicles and residences.

Trash: Curbside pick-up is offered for both:

Solid waste: Monday & Friday from May 1 to September 30; Mondays October 1 to April 30 **and**

Recycling: Every Monday from May 1 to October 31; first & third Mondays November 1 to April 30

Containers should be curbside by 5:00 a.m. on the day of pick-up. Trash left outside of containers will not be picked up. Report missed collections immediately to 252.255.1234.

Pets: Dogs are required to be vaccinated for rabies, collared with proper identification, and controlled by a leash or restraint throughout the town, including the park, boardwalk, and Duck Trail.

BEACH NOURISHMENT

A limited section (1.7 miles) of beach in Duck will undergo nourishment for a short period of time in 2016-2017. This is part of a larger project taking place throughout Dare County to help preserve the beaches that we all love. During the project, a progress map and updates will be available at www.MoreBeachtoLove.com. For town specific beach nourishment project history, timeline, FAQ's, and updates, visit www.townofduck.com.

EVENTS

SUMMER 2016



FREE FAMILY EVENTS

All events, except for the 4th of July parade, are held at the Duck Town Park located at 1200 Duck Road. Rain may cause events to be moved into the Town Meeting Hall or cancelled, check townofduck.com for updates.

Events are free and open to the public; however, some events, like the Magic Show, may require advance tickets for entry. Picnics and coolers are welcome. Beach umbrellas and tents are not permitted within the Town Park. Facilities are smoke-free.

YOGA ON THE GREEN

June 14 – September 13 • 7:30 a.m.

Yoga class for all ages and skill levels led by Duck Village Yoga. Bring water and a mat or towel.

CHILDREN'S INTERACTIVE THEATER

June 21 – August 16

10:00 a.m.

Amphitheater

Interactive shows presented by the NC Aquarium on Roanoke Island and The Lost Colony. Enjoy live animals, participate on stage, and have fun while learning. Programs change weekly.



MOVIES ON THE SOUND

June 14 – August 16

Movies begin at sunset • Town Green

Presented by Children @ Play and the Town of Duck. Bring the family for a memorable movie experience under the stars. *Movies may change due to availability, and will be announced on townofduck.com.*

June 14 – Happy Feet

June 21 – Hotel Transylvania 2

June 28 – Annie

July 5 – Jumanji

July 12 – Soul Surfer

July 19 – Inside Out

July 26 – Alexander and the Terrible, Horrible, No Good, Very Bad Day

August 2 – Maleficent

August 9 – Tangled

August 16 – E.T.

DYNAMIC FLOW ON THE GREEN

June 15 – September 14 • 7:30 a.m.

A natural, practical, and playful calisthenics workout for the amateur and the athlete with local trainer DL Althoff.

OBXTREME MAGIC SHOW

Starring World-Renowned Illusionist Clive Allen

June 29 – August 3 • 9:30 a.m. & 11:00 a.m.

August 10 & 17 • 9:30 a.m.

Gates open 20 minutes before show time for this popular family-friendly show which is sponsored by Kellogg's Supply Co. & The Cottage Shop and by Twiddy & Co.

Although free, the show requires advance tickets for all attendees. Tickets are available (limit: six per person) at Kellogg's Supply Co. in Duck beginning at 7:00 a.m. Monday the week of the show (at 1201 Duck Road across from Town Park). Tickets go fast so arrive at Kellogg's early!

CHILDREN'S STORY TIME

July 7 – August 11

10:00 a.m.

Amphitheater

A fun story time geared towards children between the ages of 3 and 7. Stories provided by Duck's Cottage Coffee & Books and Island Bookstore, with special appearances by local authors, Duck Fire, Police and Surf Rescue. Children must be accompanied by an adult.



CONCERT ON THE GREEN

June 23 – August 25 6:30 p.m. to 8:00 p.m.

A variety of live music. Bring blankets or chairs. Coolers, picnics, children and dogs are welcome. Thanks to support from stage sponsor Twiddy & Co. *Performers may change, check townofduck.com for updates.*

6/23/2016 – Spare Change

6/30/2016 – Mama's Black Sheep

7/07/2016 – Emily Minor

7/14/2016 – Mike MickXer

7/21/2016 – Birddog

7/28/2016 – Locust Honey String Band

8/04/2016 – Soul House Revival

8/11/2016 – Smooth Hound Smith

8/18/2016 – Josh Daniel - Mark Schimick Project

8/25/2016 – The Wilders



TUESDAYS

THURSDAYS

WEDNESDAYS



EVENTS

ANNUAL 2016



12TH ANNUAL 4TH OF JULY PARADE

Monday, July 4th, 2016

Parade begins at 9:00 a.m.
Parade Route: The one-mile parade route begins at the crest of the hill on Scarborough Lane going towards the ocean, continues down Ocean Way, and then turns onto Christopher Drive. No part of the Parade is on Duck Road (NC 12). Arrive early and move away from Duck Road for best viewing.

Walk to the Town Green for a community celebration following the parade with live music by Just Playn' Dixieland, cold refreshments, and the awarding of parade trophies.



ROTATING ART SHOWS IN DUCK TOWN HALL

The Town of Duck invites you to celebrate local art on display in the conference room of the Duck Town Hall, Monday – Friday, 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Make plans to attend opening receptions held at the start of each show. For details visit townofduck.com.

Dare County Schools Student Art Exhibit February 5 – April 27

Opening Reception: Saturday, February 6, 3:00 - 5:00 p.m.

Gwen Taylor Mixed Media May 4 – July 27

Opening Reception: Saturday, May 7, 3:00 - 5:00 p.m.

Women's Photography Exhibit July 30 – October 26

Opening Reception: Wednesday, August 3, 5:00 - 7:00 p.m.

Fibre Guild Exhibit November 2 – January 30, 2017

Opening Reception: Saturday, November 5, 3:00 - 5:00 p.m.



6TH ANNUAL YULETIDE CELEBRATION Saturday, December 3, 2016

A town-wide celebration of yuletide cheer! Join us for live music, the lighting of the crab pot tree, and a special appearance by Duck Santa.

Additional town events may be added throughout the year.
Check the events calendar at townofduck.com for updates.



For more information on businesses, a shopping guide, and special events and promotions held by Duck Village Merchants, visit doducknc.com.

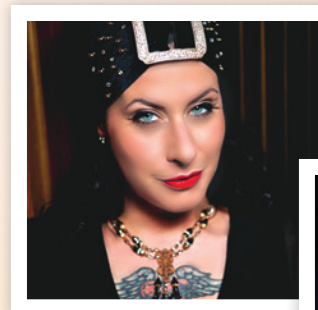


The Duck Jazz Festival presented by PNC celebrates its 10th year of bringing high quality jazz performers from around the nation to the Town of Duck for this special event held annually on Columbus Day weekend.

A variety of events will take place leading up to the weekend throughout Duck Village at individual Duck businesses. The public is invited to attend free, non-ticketed festival events taking place at Duck Town Park October 7 - 9. In 2016, a new community concert will take place on Saturday, October 8, from 4:00 - 6:00 p.m. featuring guitarist Frank Vignola joined by Vinny Raniolo. A Movie on the Green held on Friday, October 7, and a live jazz jam on Saturday evening following the community concert lead up to a full day of live jazz on Sunday, October 9.



This year's festival artists include Frank Vignola, Davina & The Vagabonds, Marquis Hill Blacktet, Robert Jospé Express Trio,



The Rad Trads, the Second Marine Aircraft Wing Jazz Ensemble and the First Flight High School Jazz Band.



For details on this year's performers and events, visit duckjazz.com, follow Duck Jazz Festival on Facebook and Twitter and use #duckjazz on your posts and pictures!



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For information on the
Duck Jazz Festival:



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